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A STUPENDOUS STOCK to SELECT FROM.

AN INSPECTION INCURS NO OBLIGATION TO BUY!

Our Spring stock of Foreign and Domestic Woolens, Furnishing Goods and Hats is now arriving.

Our constant aim is to keep the Finest and Best at the Lowest Prices. An inspection is desired.

Agents TROY LAUNDRY, Dayton, O.
Collars and Cuffs done up equal to new. Work guaranteed.

HUDSON, HUMPHRIES & CASSELL.

County Court day Monday.

The early garden catches the late snow storm.

Sleigh riding on the first of April is something unusual in this section.

The L. & N. depot is being repaired and the exterior of the building repainted.

Early gardens have been somewhat demoralized by the wintry weather of the past week.

Twenty-nine beds were renovated on Wednesday by the Western Feather Renovating Company.

March gave us a parting shot in the shape of an eleven inch snow on Wednesday,—the heaviest we have had for several years.

Owing to the probability of but few houses being built in this city the coming summer, many of our mechanics are going west.

Mr. Louis D. Craig has been appointed a U. S. Storekeeper by Collector Robinson and assigned to duty at the Old Crow Distillery, on Glens Creek.

FOUND.—On St. Clair street, near Bank of Kentucky, Tuesday, one half of a gold-framed eye-glass. Owner can have same by calling and paying for this notice.

Mr. Frank Woertz, the well-known stone-cutter, and former keeper of Lock No. 4, died at his home on Wilkinson street, Monday night, after a protracted illness.

Mr. J. Pickett Woodson, of the South Side, has had eight out

of nine children in bed with the measles this week, the ninth one having been the first to take it several weeks ago.

The fire hydrant at the corner of Main and Cross streets has been unearthed and a stone wall built around it to prevent its being again buried by the caving in of the high bank behind it.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock. The preparatory services will be held this morning at 11 o'clock.

The Women's Exchange, of the M. E. Church, will be discontinued for the present; but all orders left with Mr. H. R. Williams, at his store, South Side, will be promptly attended to.

Boring for gas was begun at La-grange on Wednesday. Mr. E. P. Bryan, President of the Frankfort Heating Company, was present to take notes, and his Company will soon commence operations here.

Simon Perry, colored, while working in a quarry in Belle Point, found the head and a portion of the body of a petrified snake. It is three or four inches in circumference, the eyes and scales being plainly defined.

GOOD NEWS PROMISED.—Judge W. P. D. Bush, President of the Paris, Georgetown, and Frankfort railroad, writes the Times that he has reliable assurances given him personally that will enable him within a few days to give to the people of Scott county some good news in reference to the prospects of said road.—Georgetown Times.

Mr. E. M. Hansbrough has been very unfortunate the past two months. He undertook to build a residence in Bellepoint last fall. Sickness in his family prevented its completion. Soon after Christmas he had an attack of pneumonia, which came very near resulting fatally, but by the skillful treatment of Dr. Hume and the patient and gentle nursing of Mr. Walker Sampson he recovered; but shortly afterwards had a severe spell of measles, which it is feared, have settled on his lungs. He has been confined to his bed for over three weeks, and is still quite ill, though improving, and we hope will soon be up, though it will be some time before he will be out again.

Mrs. W. B. Steffe, of this city, had a duck with four legs hatched on Sunday, which lived two days, having been chilled to death by the cold Tuesday night. One pair of legs are in the usual place, but the second pair are attached to an elongation of, or appendix to, the body. Both pair are perfectly formed, but in walking the hind legs were dragged. It was as lively as a cricket and got about with ease.

The intelligence was received here Wednesday that Mrs. Rev. R. D. Blair, of Jefferson county, the mother of Mrs. E. M. Hansbrough, of this city, is quite ill and thought to be gradually sinking. She has been in delicate health for a number of years, and her family fear she cannot last much longer. Mrs. Hansbrough cannot visit her mother on account of the illness of her husband.

The following are the receipts and expenditures of the city of Frankfort for the year ending December 31, 1886:

RECEIPTS.	
Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1885.	\$21,795 45
Revenue account—Taxes collected.	19,984 89
School fund, taxes collected.	5,400 44
School fund, interest in lottery.	3,000 00
Sinking fund, back taxes.	132 33
Sinking fund, licenses.	9,326 48
School sinking fund, back taxes.	31 36
Colored school fund—Taxes collected.	1,119 16
Letter.	10,000 00
Market-house.	1,669 55
Police court.	2,164 32
Streets (paid by Water Co.).	247 70
Work-house.	490 45
Interest.	2,505 60
City Hall.	1,486 95
Fire Department (sale of old hose).	160 00
State of Kentucky (State licenses).	4,610 00
School building fund.	15,719 00
School building fund (bonds).	150 00
School building premiums.	350 00
Total.	\$115,317 50
EXPENDITURES.	
1886	
School fund.	\$9,415 46
School sinking fund.	132 80
Colored school fund.	1,303 47
Market-house.	7 50
Police court.	2,004 40
Sinking fund.	10,705 02
Streets.	4,528 30
Work-house.	289 79
Paupers.	1,716 83
Fire Department (proper).	\$4,627 81
Fire department (fire hydrants).	3,125 00
Miscellaneous.	7,753 81
Gas lights.	3,494 96
Salaries.	3,385 51
City Hall.	3,090 00
Bridge.	5,126 32
Oil lights.	923 45
City Hall.	134 05
Pumps and wells.	1,152 87
Tax rebates.	60 55
Assessment rebates.	270 15
Centennial celebration.	111 05
State of Kentucky, licenses.	288 55
1885	
School building fund.	4,450 00
Franklin county, advanced for Court-house bell.	20,492 95
Sewer, South Frankfort.	111 35
Bridge bonds redeemed.	7,015 25
Interest accounts, interest on bridge bonds.	5,000 00
Balance.	75 00
	\$94,344 99
	21,072 60
	\$115,417 59

Last November the city of Frankfort loaned the city of Louisville her steam fire engine, "E. H. Taylor, jr.," and it was returned last week with the following letter to the Chief of the Fire Department, Mr. A. H. McClure, viz:

OFFICE OF CHIEF ENGINEER,
March 24th, 1887.
A. H. McClure, Esq.:
MY DEAR CHIEF:—I have this day shipped you the engine you so kindly loaned our city, which I hope will arrive safe. Am sorry I could not return it sooner, but I was placed in such a position that it was impossible for me to do so. Please accept my thanks, and through me the thanks of our citizens, to yourself and the citizens of Frankfort for your promptness and kindness in the matter, and should you at any time be placed in the same position that I was, don't hesitate to call on me. Again thanking you I remain, very truly, yours, etc.,
EDWARD HUGHES,
Chief Fire Department.

The Louisville Post makes the following very flattering notice of a former Frankfort boy:

Mr. Wm. M. Watson, for eight years connected with The Post, has deserted the newspaper business for the pleasant position of city agent of the Falls City Insurance Company. No institution ever had a more faithful, energetic and painstaking employee than The Post possessed in Mr. Watson. He was always ready, always capable. The paper loses a very valuable servant by his departure. The insurance company gets a good man, and one who will undoubtedly make a reputation for himself. I hope he will speedily advance to the front rank of insurance men, and every one of his associates on The Post joins heartily in the wish.

COME SOON!

—WHILE YET OUR STOCK IS—
FULL OF NEW SPRING GOODS,

And the assortment complete. We have a large line of special bargains—goods which can not be duplicated in the market for the price, and, to be convinced, call and examine our stock.

—WE HAVE—

50 Dozen Linen Damask Towels at	\$o 25
The best Towel ever sold for.	25
50 Dozen Linen Towels, large size (cheap at 25c), at.	16½c
50 Dozen Napkins, all Linen, per dozen	50
40 Dozen Napkins, all Linen, per dozen	75
50 Dozen Napkins, all Linen, per dozen	1 00
White Damask Table Linen, per yard, from 25 cents to	75
Turkey Red Damask, per yard, from 25 cents to	70
We have received another lot of those cheap Bed Spreads at	
50 cents, 65 cents, 75 cents, 90 cents, \$1.00, \$1.25 and 1 50	
25 Pieces of India Linen Checks at	10
25 India Linen Stripes at	8½c
25 India Linen Checks at	12½c
Plain India Linen from 5 cents to	25



We have exclusive control of
THE GOLD AND SILVER SHIRT.

—WE BOUGHT—

A large assortment of Hamburg Trimmings, which we have assorted in lot numbers:

No. 1.—50 Styles in good quality and width at.	5 cents per yard
No. 2.—30 Styles at.	8½ cents per yard
No. 3.—40 Styles at.	10 cents per yard
No. 4.—25 Styles at.	12½ cents per yard
No. 5.—25 Styles at.	15 cents per yard
No. 6.—25 Styles at.	20 cents per yard
No. 7.—25 Styles at.	25 cents per yard

These are special bargains, being from three to sixteen inches wide. We have also a large line of Swiss, Nainsook Embroideries, Smyrna and Medici Laces in all grades.

Dress Goods! * Dress Goods!

We have all the new novelties in spring dress goods in black and colors; also a handsome line of French and American Satines.

* CARPETS * AND * OIL * CLOTHS. *

We have added to our stock a line of Carpets, Oil Cloths, Matting, and Rugs, which we will sell low. Call and see us.

The Banner Sign, Main Street.

WEITZEL & O'DONNELL.

Personals.

To Texas correspondent—Yes.
 Miss Ann Marshall is visiting friends in Midway.
 J. Sed. Miller, Esq., of Louisville, was in the city Tuesday.
 Col. H. L. Giltner, of Danville, was in the city on Tuesday.
 Mrs. H. H. Owsley, of Midway, is visiting relatives in this city.
 Mrs. Hawthorne Hill, of Mayesville, is visiting her parents in this city.
 Mrs. Dr. Lewis, of Flint Rock, Missouri, is visiting relatives in this city.
 Miss Carrie Fields, of Danville, is visiting Mrs. P. W. Hardin, in this city.
 Mr. Howard Jeff and wife, of Cynthia, are visiting relatives in this city.
 Mr. Robt. B. Taylor, Jr., of Lawrence county, is visiting his parents in this city.
 Mrs. Judge A. E. Richards left Thursday afternoon for a visit to friends in Louisville.
 Mr. S. T. Pence and family, of Belle Point, left Monday for Farmers, Rowan county, to reside.
 Mr. Thomas Poynter, of this county, is visiting his son, Mr. J. W. Poynter, in Winchester.
 Mr. V. W. Poote, of Louisville, spent several days in this city the first of the week visiting relatives.
 Mrs. Jennie Campbell, of Louisville, who has been visiting relatives in this city, returned home Monday.
 Hon. Hamilton Pope, Randolph H. Blain, Esq., and J. H. Quast, of Louisville, were in the city Thursday.
 Judge L. Hord and wife left Monday afternoon for Paris, Texas, to visit their daughter, Mrs. Thos. B. Monroe.
 Mr. Allen Utley returned Monday from a four months' trip to Southern Kentucky, New Orleans, St. Louis, Cincinnati and Lexington.
 Miss Corinne Blackburn, of Versailles, and Miss Henrietta Blackburn, of Spring Station, visited Miss Rose Stewart on Thursday.
 Rev. H. W. Kavanaugh spent several days with his brother, Rev. P. E. Kavanaugh, in LeCompte's Bottom, Henry county, last week.
 Col. J. P. Pryor, who has been

editing a paper in Austin, Texas, for the past year, returned to his home in this county Thursday evening.
 Mr. Pat. Noonan left Tuesday morning for Missouri, London S. Coleman and Hiram (Thos.) Forbes left Thursday for Kansas City to locate.
 Miss Nettie Darling, of Carrollton, who has been visiting Miss Annie Steele in this city, left Wednesday morning for Lexington to visit relatives.
 Mrs. Southey Darnell and children left Saturday night on the Fannie Fern for Cincinnati to join her husband, and will reside in that city in future.
 Capt. B. W. Jenkins, of Nicholasville, was in the city Tuesday, and perfected arrangements for taking charge of the Blair Hotel on the first of May.
 Mr. John B. Lindsey and daughters, Misses Helen, Maria and Isabel, arrived from Florida on Thursday morning. Miss Helen stood the trip very well, but has been very low since her arrival.
 Rev. E. A. Penick, Hon. J. W. Tate and wife, Mrs. Virginia Hanson, Prof. J. R. Proctor, Gen. Fayette Hewitt and Mr. Virgil Hewitt, composed a party which attended the lecture of Hon. George R. Wendling at Versailles Monday night.
 Miss Maggie LeCompte, of Frankfort, visited the family of Dr. J. M. Lewis from Saturday until Monday.
 Mr. Vivian Lewis has taken a position in the drug store of Messrs. Collins & Head, where he can be found all times ready to serve his friends and the public.—*Midway Clipper.*
 Judge McManama, of Frankfort, attended Circuit Court, last week.
 Miss Sallie Vawter, of Frankfort, is visiting relatives and friends in this county.
 Mr. John Hardin, son of Attorney General Hardin, is visiting friends in the county.
 Messrs. George Rogers, Bowen Henry, McKenzie Todd and Ernest Kent, of Frankfort, spent Sunday in this city.—*Shelby Sentinel.*
 Mr. Jerome Weitzel, sr., in attempting to board the 2 o'clock train Thursday afternoon, at the corner of Ann and Broadway streets, while it was in motion, slipped and fell, and came near being run over, but escaped with a few bruises and a muddy coat.

To-day is Arbor Day. How many trees will be planted in this city?
 One hundred and fifty men are at work on the Louisville Southern Railroad in Anderson county.
 Judge F. R. Feland, editor of the Anderson News, is the happy father of a nine pound baby boy.
 The mercury dropped down to 16.4° Tuesday night, and it is safe to say that the fruit crop this year will be rather short.
 The U. S. Snagboat Kentucky is removing the obstructions from the river between Ford, Clark county, and Three Forks of the river.
 A supper will be given at the residence of Mr. C. T. Freeman, near Duckers Station, on Thursday evening, April 7th, for the benefit of the Forks of Elkhorn Baptist Church. All are invited to attend. Admission 25 cents.
 Prof. Wayland Graham's company of arateurs commenced rehearsing on Tuesday evening the operas of Belles of Cornville, Little Tycoon, etc., which they will shortly produce at the Opera House. The chorus has been greatly improved, and will be stronger than that of the Mikado.
 The Mason-Foard Company, of this city, are constructing, under contract, in this State, two hundred and ninety-eight miles of railroad, viz: For the Maysville railroad, 141 miles; for the Louisville Southern, 84 miles; for the Cumberland Valley, 33 miles, and for the Louisville, St. Louis and Texas,

The steamer Hibernia made a trip up the Ohio to Augusta, the first of the week, and brought down the convicts, mules and carts, which Messrs. Mason & Foard Co. have been working there on the Covington & Big Sandy Railroad, together with camp equipages, &c., the contract having been completed. She arrived here Thursday afternoon, discharged her freight, and left yesterday morning on her regular trip to Louisville.
 The Georgetown Times gives the following account of a serious accident to a Franklin county young lady:
SEVERELY BURNED.—On Friday last Miss Bettie Macklin met with quite a serious accident. She had rubbed carbolic acid on her hands, mistaking it for glycerine, and holding them near the fire, the acid soon ignited, burning her hands and wrists severely. She suffered the most excruciating pain for some time from her injuries—in fact, so great was her suffering that tetanus was feared.
 FRANKFORT, KY., Mar. 28, 1887.
 Messrs. Editors of the Local Press of Frankfort—The Capital, Argus and Roundabout:
 It is rumored that I am an openly avowed advocate of Mr. Beck for U. S. Senator. It is false, and whoever states or asserts it is a liar, who knows that he has no authority for so asserting. While Mr. Beck is my personal friend, I am not the tool of any man. After I have voted for the townsman, Judge Lindsay, I am not pledged to anybody for the office of U. S. Senator. Neither am I influenced by my friends in that matter. I shall be governed by my convictions in the matter of Senator.
 Respectfully,
 BEN. F. DUVAL.

The concert given in the Baptist Chapel last week for the benefit of the repair fund of that church, will, by request, be repeated on Tuesday evening, April 5th, at 8 o'clock, at same place. An entire change of program by the same performers may be expected, and a very enjoyable evening is promised. Admission will be 25 cents.
 Garden fertilizers at Mastin Bros. 20.
Galvanic Battery.
 An eighteen cell McIntosh Galvanic Battery, as good as new, for sale. Apply to E. H. TAYLOR, 20-4t At Ky. Penitentiary.
 FOR RENT.—A two-story frame residence, with five rooms and cellar, on the corner of Logan and Campbell streets. Gas in the house and water in the yard. Apply to W. C. Herndon.
 Mrs. Maggie J. Hallman has received her spring stock of ladies' hats, bonnets, ribbons, feathers, &c., which are all of the latest and most fashionable styles. The entire stock has been opened and the ladies are invited to call and examine the same.
 Mr. W. L. Collins will farm during the present season, at his place 2½ miles west of this city, the fine young stallion Baywood, foaled 1881, bred and owned by Anthony Dey, of Woodford county; sired by Harold, sire of Mand S., 22083, Noodlde, 2201; 1st dam Nuby by Woodford Mambrino, 22411, sire of Abbottford, 2191; 2d dam Lucy by Day's Woodford, son of Alexander's Norman, sire of Lulu, 215, May Queen, 220; 3d dam by a thorough-bred son of Imp. Sovereign; 4th dam, bred by the late R. A. Alexander, by old St. Lawrence. The price of the season will be \$25 to insure a mare in foal.

EDUCATIONAL.

Miss Susie Joyce has an excellent school in Bellepoint. We wish her success, as she deserves it.

Miss Sallie Warren will begin her school at the Forks of Elkhorn next Monday. She is very popular as a teacher, and will do her work well.

The meeting at Danville was quite a success. We wish all our teachers could have heard Miss Mollie Crumbaugh's essay on "Discipline."

There will be an "Educational Meeting" at Harrodsburg April 16th. We hope to see a good delegation of Franklin county teachers present.

Teachers and friends, remember the Association meets next Saturday, the 9th. Let all teachers, both city and country, turn out that day. Cannot the teachers and friends who live convenient prepare a lunch for their country cousins at that time? We will help in any way.

We have noticed children walking the streets of Frankfort, going to and from school, with a load of books that would worry a man to carry. Why is this? Is it the quantity or the quality that a child learns that makes the scholar? We have heard of some of these same children complain of headache, backache and other similar ills. Parents, do you wonder at your children being "round-shouldered"? Oh! that some friend of the little ones would devise some plan to relieve them of their burdens.

Co. SEPT.

PROGRAMME

For the Teachers' Association on the 2d Saturday, 9th of April, at the city school building:

Morning Session, 9:30 A. M.—

Opening Exercises.

Arithmetic—J. B. Lea.

Vocal Music—C. H. Parrent.

Afternoon, 1 P. M.

Grammar—T. B. Ford.

History—First four chapters of Barnes' U. S. History—H. M. Polsgrove.

The committee recommend that each teacher read the chapters mentioned above, and be ready to ask and answer questions on them.

RUTH ROBINSON,

MAGGIE DOWNEY,

Committee.

Pea Ridge.

Apple, plum and peach trees in bloom.

The early vegetables are protected with a foot of snow.

Arbor day will be celebrated in a small way. A tree agent was through here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harris, of Frankfort, who have been visiting Mr. Bud Crutcher, returned home Tuesday.

No complaints of either rain or drought have been made here this spring; the recording angel will notice this.

Bro. T. N. Arnold preached here last Sunday to a large congregation. Bro. Arnold's visits are highly appreciated by our people.

Mr. Bud Crutcher has been seriously ill for the past two weeks, but under the care of Dr. Brown is better at present writing.

Road overseers and contractors could help to ornament our roads by trimming up the oak, elm, cedar and other bushes by the road sides, instead of cutting them down.

"No sir," said the druggist, "Pea Ridge is not a sickly place; except a burning thirst for the information contained in our medical almanacs, there is nothing the matter with those people."

Where was Uncle Zeke Youcun when he saw so much drunken-

ness? Surely not in those haunts of vice he warns us against. Keep away, Uncle Zeke, you can't reform them, and may yet get badly smirched yourself.

John Latham, of Christian county, gave \$50,000 to build turnpikes in his native county. Such men are an honor to their State, and to the age in which they live. Mr. Latham has erected a monument that will cause his name to be remembered till the language is forgotten in which his liberality is recorded.

Simon Shea is announced as a candidate to represent the city of Lexington in the Legislature. "Sim" was raised in this city, and is well known here. Lexington might do a great deal worse than elect "Sim." He never was troubled with swell head, and his constituents could reach him at all times without using a ladder. We wish him success, no matter who gets left.

Pike commissioners are well known here. The salary is not excessive. Don't put any more on them. If they attend to the pikes they fairly earn the money. If we must have commissioners to do what other people are paid to do, don't mix them. We can have another to appoint the poor-house keeper and another for county physician, and still others to do anything we want done. Justitia says it would cost less to elect an officer by a commission. True, but better still; turn it over to the people. Let them elect, and so do without a commission. "A glass of water may be poisoned, but who can poison the ocean?"

"A committee might be bribed, but who can bribe the people?"

Harp.

"Winter, lingering on the lap of spring."

Madam Kumor has it that Ed. Carr will shortly lead to the hymenal altar one of our sweetest young maidens.

Col. Simon Hopper, who has been cheek by jowl with our president, has changed his tune, and has left the precinct, because he could not have a better president.

The wood chopping and grubbing party that was to have been given by Charley Hambrick, last Thursday, has been, on account of the snow, indefinitely postponed.

A most marvelous fatality among our paupers during the year past, when it takes over four hundred and thirty-five dollars for coffins. Just think of it, fellow-citizens!

O'Bannon Polsgrove complains that no work is done on the lower end of F. and F. C. turnpike, and suggests that if the road could be turned around probably it might receive some attention.

County Clerk Smith deserves much credit for publishing a report of the receipts and expenditures of the Court of Claims for this year. The yeomanry like once in a while to know what their bosses are doing with the people's money.

Dock Lewis wants to rent the lower end of the turnpike for a tobacco patch, and what a nice vegetable garden could be made of the other end; that is, the portion running through Bellepoint.

Our citizens are sincere in their desire for the turnpike commissioners to visit this end of the road before the toll is raised.

I most respectfully suggest to the Court of Claims that at their next meeting, which won't be long, that they reduce the number of magistrates to one for each district. This would save a large amount of money, and certainly six or seven magistrates is enough to spend all the money collected. Look upon that pauper list, and be then astonished. Oh, my countrymen!

Would it not be better to send

all paupers to the poor-house? Wouldn't be so many then.

I beg leave to take an issue with your writer from Bellepoint in the matter of the appointment of John W. Bohannon to be supervisor of seines, fish traps, &c. Now I look upon Squire Bohannon as the peer of any man on the bench, but I fail to see the use of this office. In fact I cannot see the need of turnpike commissioners. There is no law for such a commission, and the Court of Claims superseded their authority when they created it. The charter of the different roads plainly says that the road must be managed by a board of directors; but of course as a fellow is dropped out by being left, he must be provided for in some way. The pauper's list is the place for them.

W. J.

Forks of Elkhorn.

Snowed in.

Miss Effie Stedman is quite sick.

Winter has checked the flow of news.

About five inches of snow on the level.

How is that early garden looking about this time?

Mrs. Loyd Featherston has been in Georgetown for a week visiting relatives.

Rev. B. T. Quinn and son, of Georgetown, were in Woodlake this week.

Miss Ollie Hockersmith, of Peak's Mill, has been visiting Miss Kittie Shaw.

Bro. Williams will preach here, at the school-house, to-morrow evening at 7 o'clock.

Mr. Bud Jones sold this week to Mr. Clarence Biner, a two year old King of Elkhorn colt for \$150.

Mr. William Lea, of Hatton, was in this neighborhood last week soliciting for a Louisville tobacco house.

Mrs. Fannie Allen and Misses Lucy and Emma Steadman visited Mrs. South Trimble one evening this week.

Miss Laura Hockersmith, of Bridge View, near Peak's Mill, is visiting Miss Laura Bratton in Scott county.

Bro. John Cannon and wife passed through here last Wednesday week en-route for their home in Scott county.

Don't forget that our Mission Sunday-school will be organized to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the School-house.

Messrs. P. M. Blackerby and Garrett, of Versailles, visited Mr. G. G. Thompson at Steadmanville, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Our blind friend, Mr. J. G. Green, says he has another trading horse, and the citizens of Steadmanville are invited up—especially the "Squire."

The people out here would like to know when Zeke Youcun's continued story will end. They are anxious to know whether those Baptists and Campbellites have sobered up and joined the Good Templars or not; and also what has become of Ballow's dog; and would like to know if he intends to publish it in book form. We know of several live book agents in this burg and at Woodlake who would do a land office business with them.

In the Apostolic Guide of March 25, there is a beautiful tribute to the life and character of the late Mrs. Sarah C. Bailey from the pen of Eld. Geo. Darsie, now of Boston. Mr. Darsie was a personal friend and warm admirer of Mrs. Bailey, and his is heartfelt praise.—*Shelby Sentinel.*

The mercury yesterday morning dropped down to 16.5°.

TOWER'S SLICKER Is The Best Waterproof Coat Ever Made.

Louisville Tobacco Market.

FURNISHED BY GLOVER & DUBRETT, PROPRIETORS LOUISVILLE TOBACCO WAREHOUSE.

Sales on our market for the week just closed amount to 1,743 hds., with receipts for the same period of 1,453 hds. Sales on our market since January 1st amount to 31,365 hds.

Owing to the continued dry weather there has been quite a falling off in receipts and sales the past week, and prices have advanced on all grades of barley tobacco, the greatest advance being on the types ranging from common to medium fillers. These are from 75 cents to \$1.00 higher than they were 10 days ago. The same may be said of filly logs, very few good fillers being offered. Wrappers continue very scarce. Old barrels have sympathized with the advance to some extent.

The following quotations fairly represent the market for new barley.

Dark Trash	\$2.00 to \$3.00
Colony Trash	3.00 to 4.00
Common Logs, not colory .	3.00 to 4.00
Colory Logs	4.50 to 6.00
Common Leaf, not colory .	4.00 to 5.00
Good Leaf	6.00 to 9.00
Fino Leaf	10.00 to 15.00

HALL'S HAIR RENEWER.

The great popularity of this preparation, after its test of many years, should be an assurance, even to the most skeptical, that it is really meritorious. Those who have used HALL'S HAIR RENEWER know that it does all that is claimed. It causes new growth of hair on bald heads—provides the hair follicles are not dead, which is seldom the case; restores natural color to gray or faded hair; preserves the scalp healthy and clear of dandruff; prevents the hair falling out or changing color; keeps it soft, pliant, lustrous, and causes it to grow long and thick. HALL'S HAIR RENEWER produces its effects by the beneficial influence of its vegetable ingredients, which invigorate and rejuvenate. It is not a dye, and is a delicate article for toilet use. Containing no alcohol, it does not evaporate quickly and dry on the natural oil, leaving the hair harsh and brittle, as do other preparations.

Buckingham's Dye WHISKERS

Colors them brown or black, as desired, and is the best dye, because it is harmless; produces a permanent natural color, and being a stimulant, removes all more convenient of application than any other.

PREPARED BY R. P. HALL & CO., NASHUA, N. H. Sold by all Dealers in Medicines.

W. J. SCOTTOW,

—DEALER IN—

FAMILY GROCERIES.

LARD, MEAL

MILL FEED.

EMPRESS FLOUR.

235 Broadway St.

Feb. 19, 1904.

GEESAPPAKE AND OHIO RAILWAY,

KENTUCKY'S ROUTE EAST

—FOR—

WASHINGTON PHILADELPHIA & NEW YORK.

THE ONLY LINE

Having Pullman New Sleeping Cars

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A SOLID TRAIN

—FROM—

Louisville, Cincinnati & Lexington

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Connecting in same depot with fast trains for

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THE DIRECT ROUTE TO

LYNCHBURG,

DANVILLE,

NORFOLK,

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	No. 6, Ex. Sun.	No. 4, Daily.	No. 12, Ex. Sun.
Lve Lexington	8:30 a.m.	8:15 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
" Falmouth	10:45 a.m.	7:25 p.m.	3:30 p.m.
" Cincinnati	11:04 a.m.	10:54 p.m.	4:30 p.m.
Arr. Paris	12:00 p.m.	10:30 p.m.	5:15 p.m.
Arr. Lexington	12:20 p.m.	11:20 p.m.	6:10 p.m.

Lve Paris	11:30 a.m.	10:15 p.m.	3:10 p.m.
Arr Winchester	12:00 p.m.	11:15 p.m.	3:40 p.m.
" Richmond	2:00 p.m.	7:15 p.m.	5:10 p.m.
" Lancaster	2:07 p.m.	7:22 p.m.	5:17 p.m.
" Standard	2:09 p.m.	7:24 p.m.	5:19 p.m.
Lve Richmond	3:00 p.m.	8:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Arr. Lexington	3:40 p.m.	8:40 p.m.	6:40 p.m.

North Bound.

	No. 3, Ex. Sun.	No. 11, Daily.	No. 1, Ex. Sun.
Lve Lexington	8:00 a.m.	7:25 p.m.	3:30 p.m.
" Berea	10:30 a.m.	7:55 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
Arr. Richmond	11:45 a.m.	8:55 p.m.	5:10 p.m.
Lve Standard	12:00 p.m.	9:00 p.m.	5:15 p.m.
" Lancaster	12:05 p.m.	9:05 p.m.	5:20 p.m.
Arr. Richmond	11:00 a.m.	7:15 a.m.	4:10 p.m.
Arr Winchester	12:00 p.m.	7:20 p.m.	4:15 p.m.
Lve Lexington	12:20 p.m.	7:40 p.m.	4:35 p.m.
" Paris	3:00 p.m.	8:15 a.m.	4:40 p.m.
" Cincinnati	3:30 p.m.	8:45 a.m.	5:10 p.m.
" Falmouth	4:00 p.m.	9:10 a.m.	5:40 p.m.
Arr. Lexington	6:00 p.m.	11:35 a.m.	6:45 p.m.

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Lve. Covington	8:00 a.m.	7:00 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
Lve. Lexington	8:30 a.m.	7:30 p.m.	3:30 p.m.
Lve. Paris	8:45 a.m.	7:45 p.m.	3:45 p.m.
Arr. Millersburg	8:45 a.m.	7:45 p.m.	3:45 p.m.
Arr. Cardale	9:05 a.m.	8:05 p.m.	4:05 p.m.
Arr. Johnson	9:25 a.m.	8:25 p.m.	4:25 p.m.
Arr. Mayfield	9:45 a.m.	8:45 p.m.	4:45 p.m.

South Bound.

	No. 52, Ex. Sun.	No. 54, Daily.	No. 56, Ex. Sun.
Lve. Mayfield	8:15 a.m.	7:15 p.m.	3:15 p.m.
Lve. Johnson	8:35 a.m.	7:35 p.m.	3:35 p.m.
Lve. Cardale	8:55 a.m.	7:55 p.m.	3:55 p.m.
Lve. Millersburg	9:15 a.m.	8:15 p.m.	4:15 p.m.
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GEORGE A. LEWIS.

Editor and Publisher.

FRANKFORT, APRIL 2, 1887.

TIME TABLE.

TRAINS WEST.

No. 18 leaves Frankfort..... 10:00 a. m.
No. 22 leaves Frankfort..... 5:03 p. m.
No. 20 leaves Frankfort..... 9:47 p. m.
No. 24 arrives Frankfort..... 8:00 p. m.

TRAINS EAST.

No. 23 leaves Frankfort..... 5:45 a. m.
No. 17 leaves Frankfort..... 8:15 a. m.
No. 21 leaves Frankfort..... 1:35 p. m.
No. 19 leaves Frankfort..... 4:50 p. m.

Trains No. 23 and No. 21 make connection for Cincinnati; Nos. 23 and 21 connect at Anchorage for Shelbyville.

Rev. Philip Fall, of this county, preached at Nashville, Tennessee, on last Sunday morning, in the Church of which he was pastor sixty-six years ago. The Church building had been sold, and is to be torn away to give place to a new and handsome opera house. It was the last service held by the congregation before removing to their new quarters, and Elder Fall was invited to preach the last sermon, he having preached the first there nearly three quarters of a century ago. The house was crowded to its utmost capacity, and Mr. Fall preached an eloquent sermon of more than an hour's length, a synopsis of which was published in the Louisville Courier-Journal of Monday, together with a cut and biographical sketch of this venerable servant of God.

Mr. A. H. McClure, on Monday last, tendered his resignation as Chief of the Fire Department of Frankfort. Mr. McClure has held this position for nine years, and has done good service to the city. He has done all in his power to protect and save property in all parts of the city, and while there were times that the department did not succeed in extinguishing the flames, the same misfortune is applicable to all cities of the Union. It is easier to condemn than to approve, and as the salary was but meagre and the responsibility great, it is not to be wondered at that Capt. McClure gave it up. The Mayor yesterday morning appointed Assistant-Chief Jeffers Chief pro tem, until the next meeting of the Council.

The tea given on Friday evening of last week, by the ladies of the Methodist Church, at the residence of Mr. J. M. Case, was a perfect success, \$50.35 being netted by the entertainment for the repair fund of the Church. An elegant supper was furnished for the small sum of twenty-five cents, and all who attended were delighted. The next tea of the series will be given on Thursday evening, April 28th, at the residence of Mr. F. C. Hughes, on Second street.

Mr. Albert Chilson, Noble Grand of Capital Lodge, No. 6, I. O. O. F., resigned his position on Monday night, and Vice Grand Jas. A. Murray was elected to fill the vacancy, and Dr. V. A. Kaltenbrun elected Vice Grand to succeed Mr. Murray.

The month of March evidently got turned around and came in wrong end first, judging by the weather of the past week.

We have received from Ensign Hugh Rodman a copy of the Hongkong, China, Daily News, of a recent date. We are under obligations to Ensign Rodman, for his kindness in remembering us, but the only thing in it we were able to read was a portion of an advertisement of Webster's Unabridged Dictionary, the balance of the characters in the paper being on the log cabin style of architecture, and so similar in appearance, we were unable to decipher them.

The Hook and Ladder Company, of the Fire Department, composed of Mr. John T. Buckley and his employees, all of whom were volunteers, have withdrawn from the service. This reduces the working force of the department to nine men, which is certainly not a sufficient number to fight a fire of any magnitude. It will be hard to supply the places of these gentlemen, as they were an efficient force and always did excellent work.

The Frankfort Natural Gas and Oil Company has been incorporated, and will effect an organization this morning. The tools for boring a well are now being manufactured at the Capital City Machine works, and it is expected that every thing will be in readiness in the next two weeks to commence sinking a well on the premises of that establishment. A limited amount of stock will be placed on the market in a few days.

While Wilson Price, colored, was engaged in clearing the snow from the pavement in front of Mr. Gorman, on St. Clair street, Thursday morning, a large quantity of snow on the roof of the old Mansion House slid off and fell on him, knocking him into the street and nearly burying him under it. Fortunately he was not seriously hurt, and the accident greatly amused a number of spectators.

About 11 o'clock Wednesday morning it began snowing gently, and continued until about ten o'clock at night, when the ground was covered to the depth of eleven inches, being the deepest snow ever known here this late in the season. As it has melted very rapidly, the prospects for a big river are very flattering.

The force of convicts, carts, &c., brought up on the Hibernia Thursday afternoon, was sent to Shelby county yesterday morning to work on section No. 41, of the Louisville Southern Railroad.

We are under obligations to Rev. H. H. Kavanaugh for late files of the Little Rock, Arkansas, Gazette, of which paper his son, W. M. Kavanaugh, formerly of this city, is the city editor.

The ladies of Ascension Church will give a supper and bazar at the Court-house on Tuesday evening, April 12th, for the benefit of the church.

Dr. W. I. Kelly, of Cincinnati, will be in this city next Saturday, April 9th, at the Capital Hotel, as his advertisement elsewhere in this paper shows.

Mr. Landon S. Coleman sold on Saturday to Mrs. J. W. Rupe his house and lot, on Steele street, and left Thursday for Kansas City to reside.

The following notice of a former Frankfort boy is taken from the New York Tribune:

The Rev. William M. Hughes, of Hobart College and formerly of Buffalo, will about June 1 enter upon his new work as rector of the Church of the Redeemer at Morristown, N. J. At the same time he will assume the assistant editorship of "The Churchman," of this city.

Rev. Mr. Hughes will arrive in this city in a few weeks to visit his brother, Mr. F. C. Hughes. His first visit in twelve years.

Miss Millie Hawkins, of this county, churned three gallons and three pints of Jersey cream, on Monday, and got from it ten pounds of firm, rich golden butter. A good yield from graded Jersey cows.

The many friends of Mrs. N. W. Casey, in this city, will be greatly pained to hear of her death, which occurred in Kansas City, Missouri, on Wednesday.

The boom has struck Lawrenceburg. A party who bought nine acres of land near that place a few years ago for \$110 per acre, refused \$500 an acre for it this week.

Henry county has nearly as many candidates for Circuit Clerk as Franklin usually has for Jailor.

MARRIED.

In York, Pennsylvania, on Wednesday, March 23d, at the residence of the bride's uncle, Hon. Edward Ziegler, by Rev. Dr. Miller, Mr. CHARLES E. HANCOCK, of that place, and Miss Ida Ziegler, of Belle Point.

DIED.

In Kansas City, on the 28th of March, 1887, Mrs. F. T. P., wife of (of N. W. Casey, and daughter of Elizabeth Lee and J. Gibson Taylor, deceased, of our own county.

Louisville papers please copy.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce C. M. HAWKINS as a candidate for Representative of Franklin county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce JAMES ANDREW SCOTT as a candidate for Representative from Franklin county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Farm at Public Sale.

I WILL OFFER AT PUBLIC SALE, AT THE Court House door, in the city of Frankfort, on Monday, April 4, 1887, my farm of 65 acres, lying near Benson Station. Terms made known on day of sale. JOHN SHEETS.

FOR LEASE FRANKFORT, KY., OPERA HOUSE.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED for the lease of the Franklin Opera House at the City Clerk's office until April 21, 1887, at six p. m. for a term of two years, commencing August 1, 1887, and ending August 1, 1889. The Council reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Bond will be required for the faithful performance of the contract, and must be filed with the proposal.

LEWIS MANAGAN, Chairman.

F. V. GRAY, City Clerk.

MEETING OF STOCK-HOLDERS.

FARMERS' BANK OF KENTUCKY, FRANKFORT, APRIL 1ST, 1887. THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCK-HOLDERS of this bank will be held at their banking house in the city of Frankfort, on Monday, the 21st day of May, 1887, at 10:30 o'clock, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business that may be brought before the meeting by order of the board.

GRANT GREEN, Cashier.

FOR SALE.

A COTTAGE OF THREE ROOMS AND KITCHEN, on lot 50 at 28th street, on Conway street, South Frankfort. Hydrant and good cellar in the yard. For terms apply at this office. Dec. 18-87.

NOTICE.

THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF THE stockholders of the Franklin portion of the Frankfort, Georgetown and Paris Turnpike Company held at the Board Room of Frankfort on Monday, April 18th, 1887, for the purpose of electing a board of six directors.

By order of the Board.

W. J. LEWIS, Secretary.

FOR SALE.

One of the Best Located Residences in South Frankfort.

DR. W. H. HALL OFFERS FOR SALE HIS house and lot, on the corner of Cross and Main streets. The lot contains about two acres, and the house is in good repair. There are apple, peach and plum trees in abundance upon the place. Two big oaks are situated in the rear, and a green house planted with roses and beech, and a Hibernian improved hot water apparatus.

TERMS EASY.

Apply to Dr. W. H. HALL.

DUNLAP HATS!

THE WORLD RENOWNED

SPRING SHAPES!

COME EARLY AND SELECT YOUR SIZE, AS OUR TRADE

Is growing each season on these goods, and we have difficulty in filling our orders. Customers who appreciate a

first-class hat will wear no other.

CRUTCHER & STARKS,
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DO YOU KNOW WHAT THIS MEANS?

DEALING.

It represents something you like and appreciate. It illustrates our method of doing business. It means SQUARE DEALING! Don't you see?

This is what we {PREACH PRACTICE GUARANTEE} HONEST VALUES LATEST STYLES FAIREST PRICES {Put before you.

—OUR STOCK OF—

Boots, Shoes, Hats, Stationery, Etc.

You'll find them {THE NEWEST. THE BEST. THE CHEAPEST.} PRIOR QUALITIES STYLES {As you like them.

Come, we will treat you right. Remember Square Dealing at

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Plumbers, Gas & Steam Fitters,

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Pipe and Fittings, &c. Strict attention given to Job and Contract Work. All work Guaranteed.

No. 227 St. Clair St. Weitzel Block, - - Frankfort, Kentucky.

Mar. 12.

I. O. O. F.

CAPITAL LODGE NO. 6, MEETS EVERY MONDAY night. Visiting brothers cordially invited. J. R. WILLIAMS, Sec. JAS. MURRAY, N. G. April 17-87.

Blue-Grass Poultry Yards.

Buff Cochins, J. B. Foot and M. M. Corner Straits, Eggs, \$2.00 per 15. Wyandottes and W. H. Johnson Straits, \$1.50 per 15.

At the Junction of the Georgetown and Versailles turnpikes. Write for catalogue.

J. O. GREEN, Frankfort, Ky.

Bluegrass Farm for Sale.

IN FRANKLIN COUNTY, KY., 14 MILES from Frankfort, on Lexington turnpike. 255 acres, 100 acres in cultivation; 150 acres in bluegrass.

IMPROVEMENTS.

DWELLING—brick and stone, containing 9 rooms and 4 1/2 baths, surrounded by large lawn, set with forest trees and large shrubbery.

OUT-DOORS—Laborer's quarters, smokehouse, stone dairy, 2 stables, 1 corn-crib, 3 large barns, carriage house, poultry house and yard, stone-fence.

Orchard of excellent fruit, vegetable garden, beyond stock life, well watered. Fences principally stone and plank; all land surrounded by dry ditching, soil rich and well adapted to cultivation of tobacco, corn, small grains and all grasses.

Because of the accessibility, the supply of water, this farm is admirably fitted and improved for other stock or dairy farm, or both combined.

A rare opportunity is offered to any one desiring such a farm at a very reasonable price.

Offering each balance 1, 2, 3, and 4 years, notes to bear 5 per cent. until paid. Terms may be varied.

This period. Apply on the premises to the undersigned executor.

2-12-86.

FRANK CHILSON.

NEW PLANING MILL.

J. M. WAKEFIELD

Having recently added to his Establishment

First-Class Planing Mill,

Is now prepared to furnish all kinds of

Sash, Doors, Blinds, Frames, Molding

Scroll Work, Stair Work & Turning

May 10-87.

SMALL FARM

FOR SALE.

THE FARM IS LOCATED IN WHELEY COUNTY, Kentucky, on Louisville & Nashville Railroad, nine miles from Frankfort, Ky., containing about

75 ACRES.

About one-half in grass, the balance in cultivation.

With an orchard of 200 trees of choice apples, a good house of seven rooms, good kitchen and another house, with a splendid view of the river and good well in yard and two barns on place. Also a new depot, with store-room and warehouse for storing freight. The above buildings are complete except painting. It is a good location for a doctor or merchant. Any one wishing to purchase and property will call on the undersigned, who will take pleasure in giving any information in regard to the matter.

J. A. BELL.

Hutton, Shelby county, Ky.

Mar. 19-86.

SAM. D. JOHNSON & CO.

WILL OPEN THEIR

PARIS and NEW YORK BONNETS and HATS

ON

Tuesday and Wednesday, April 5th and 6th, 1887.

FRANKFORT ROUNDABOUT.

FRANKFORT, APRIL 2, 1887.

FOUND.—A large set ring, which the owner can have by calling and paying for this notice and proving property. 29

We have the largest assortment of mixed paints ever brought to Frankfort, and guarantee them.

CHAPMAN & GAYLE,
29-47 Old Market House Corner.

LOST.—A child's breast pin, blue enamel, between the corner of Main & Washington and Washington & Clinton. Finder will please leave at this office and be rewarded. 29

A full variety of Landreth's garden seeds, fresh, at Chapman & Gayle's, old Market House Corner. 29-47

LOST.—On Thursday night, March 24, a light bay mare, sway-backed, left hind foot white and both ears drooping forward. A liberal reward offered for her recovery.

H. HARRIS,
Next door to J. Burkhardt's grocery. 29

For pure drugs at honest prices go to Chapman & Gayle's, old Market House Corner. 29-47

FOR SALE OR RENT.—My brick cottage, on the corner of Shelby & Campbell streets. Possession given about the first of May. 29-31

N. F. RICHARDSON.

FOR SALE.—A good second-hand piano for sale at a bargain. Apply at this office. 29-47

Mastin Bros., sole agents for Oliver Chilled Plow and repairs.

We have just received our third invoice of Trenchon and Medels Laces. The prettiest stock in the city, call and see them.

SAM. D. JOHNSON & Co.,
Red Front, 217 St. Clair Street.

Young housekeepers can save money by calling at Buckley's.

I have just received the newest and cheapest line of Corsets, Handkerchiefs, Collars and Cuffs in the city.

O. R. Crutcher & Co. will have a fine stock of fresh groceries open in a few days. Save your orders for them. 29

How is it that you can go to Buckley's and buy queensware so cheap? That's easy, he buys from first hands in large quantities.

Good apple vinegar 29 cents per gallon at Mrs. S. J. Bohannon's.

FOR RENT.—Store-rooms on Bridge street, opposite LeCompte & Carpenter's drug store. Apply to C. W. & H. Finel. 47

Northern Seed, Early Rose, Burbank and Snowflake potatoes, \$2.00 per barrel at Mrs. S. J. Bohannon's.

For Early Spring

We have received the latest things in English Checks and Striped Suitings.

SAM. D. JOHNSON & Co.,
Red Front, 217 St. Clair Street.

The most particular man in town will have no trouble in selecting a hat at McClure's. This firm seems to have the happy faculty of pleasing all tastes.

FOR RENT.—A store-room in Bellepoint. Apply to R. C. Nicol.

FOR SALE.—Carriage, one or two horses, which will suit six persons. Will sell or trade for a good horse. 41

E. J. PARKER
A pair of handsome diamond earrings, at a bargain, at Phillip Selbert's, the jeweler.

Natural gas has been struck at Frankfort, and so have prices to suit the people on everything nice and cheap in chinaware at J. T. Buckley's.

Diamonds, watches, clocks, jewelry and silverware, the best selection in the city, just received at Phillip Selbert's, the jeweler.

Just try one bottle of the Gen. Harris Cologne at LeCompte & Carpenter's.

Call and see our sample Binder, Reaper and Mower.

MASTIN BROS.
If you want anything in Dry Goods and Millinery, call at Mrs. Sol. Harris', St. Clair street.

Go to LeCompte & Carpenter's for Landreth's Garden Seeds.

The finest selection of Buggies, Surreys, Spring Wagons, Road Carts, &c., ever brought to Frankfort you will find at Mastin Bros.

My new stock of domestic goods is complete, and such low prices that will induce you to purchase.

Mrs. SOL. HARRIS
China Tea Sets of 56 pieces at Buckley's for \$3.50.

We handle Trow's Famous Perfection Flour. Best in the market. Try it. A. H. WAGGONER,
324 Market street.

If you want to find the headquarters for low prices, call and see me.

Mrs. SOL. HARRIS.
The new grocery will be open on the 4th of April, and will have a fresh stock of everything in that line 29.

Michigan Early Rose Potatoes, N. Y. Burbanks and Early Ohio, only \$2.00 per barrel, at A. H. Waggoner's, 324 Market street.

Don't buy a china toilet set until you see Buckley's spring goods. Will be open in a few days.

I have just received a sample line of the latest style Hats and Bonnets for early spring. Call and see them.

Mrs. SOL. HARRIS.
Wait for the opening of O. R. Crutcher & Co. if you want cheap groceries 29.

Best New Orleans Molasses 50 cents per gallon at Mrs. S. J. Bohannon's.

FRANKFORT MARBLE WORKS.

JOHN E. GLENN, PROPRIETOR.

DEALER IN AND MANUFACTURER OF

ITALIAN MARBLE & GRANITE MONUMENTS RUSTIC TABLETS & HEADSTONES.

All kinds of stone work promptly attended to. Estimates furnished on application. Correspondence solicited.

238 ANN STREET FRANKFORT, KENTUCKY.

April 2-3m.

Second grade New Orleans Molasses 30 cents per gallon at Mrs. S. J. Bohannon's.

A fine music box, twelve airs, Zither attachment, very cheap, at Phillip Selbert's, the jeweler.

Garden Plows, Forks, Rakes, Hoes, Lawn Mowers, &c., at Mastin Bros.

I always carry the finest line of Kid Gloves in the city, and will sell them lower than the lowest.

MRS. SOL. HARRIS.

Parasols.

We have the latest novelties in Parasols, they are beauties.

SAM. D. JOHNSON & Co.,
Red Front, 217 St. Clair Street.

Buy your harness and gear from Mastin Bros.

Feb. 26-47.

Mack Salyers wishes to announce to the public that his "Premium Bacon" is now ready and on the market, and sells at the lowest prices. 47.

HOUSE FOR RENT.—A small cottage. Apply to Dennis Murphy.

SEEDS.—Blue-grass, clover, timothy, oats and hemp seed, at Mastin Bros.

The man that couldn't tell the difference between a mule's ears and a lemon can plainly see the advantage of buying his boots and shoes at McClure's after examining their goods and hearing their prices.

We are selling Rice at five cents per pound; Heekman's Manila Coffee, twenty cents per pound; French Prunes, ten cents per pound.

A. H. WAGGONER,
324 Market street.

You will find all my goods new, and of the latest styles.

Mrs. SOL. HARRIS.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became a Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

If you want a good juicy steak, sweet ham, bacon or lard go to Mack Salyer's store, No 223 Main street, opposite Dr. Duval's residence. 47-48.

Syrup of Figs

Manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Co., San Francisco, Cal., is Nature's Own True Laxative. It is the most easily taken and the most pleasantly effective remedy known to cleanse the system when bilious or costive; to dispel headaches, colds and fevers; to cure habitual constipation, indigestion, etc. For sale in 50 cent and \$1.00 bottles by Chapman & Gayle. 47

Bucklen's Arnica Salve

TIX BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetters, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Joe LeCompte.

[Writes for the household.]
Only in Dreams.

By N. S. C.

Once more at the door of the homestead,
As of old I used to be,
In the joy and bloom of my childhood life,
At rest on my mother's knee,
With her loving arms around me,
And her dear old face to mine,
As the soft sun in her face, sweet voice,
A song of the golden time.

Once more at the dear old homestead,
Where the melody of life,
With a soft and gentle smile,
On the floor and the window sills,
And the sweet old days of life,
With the peace and love of life,
When the sun and moon of life,
Have raised and life has led.

Once more at the dear old homestead,
I'll touch in my childhood days,
Over the long things that my mother said,
As I know they are all for me,
As I know with my mother's hand,
Her wrinkled hand in mine,
Left by the hand of time.

As of old I used to be,
In the joy and bloom of my childhood life,
At rest on my mother's knee,
With her loving arms around me,
And her dear old face to mine,
As the soft sun in her face, sweet voice,
A song of the golden time.

March 24th, 1887.

Ladies Column.

There has been a great deal said and written recently in regard to Frankfort's "boom." We all feel deeply interested in all that relates to Frankfort's good, and hope every expectation for the advancement of the Capital city will be fully realized. Louisville and Lexington have long been contending for the honors which adorn our city, and while we wish the two former cities no evil, we can not help feeling rejoiced when we see grand prospects of Frankfort out rivaling them. We have not "always" been residents of this city, but long enough to find what a great many of her people are, in regard to true goodness and true benevolence, and believe we speak the truth when we say there are more truly good people in Frankfort than in any other city of its size to our knowledge. They are wide awake and ready to push to completion every enterprise that will be of benefit to her people and trade, and with their prayers and purses they are ever ready to aid the suffering and needy. And we believe the proposed building of the new railroad and finding natural gas will prove successful beyond a doubt. The best people are awake to these two important enterprises. Why should they not succeed?

The past few days have been so much like winter one almost forgets spring is so near. "Weather prophets" and the like have been telling us for some time "winter was over," but that class of people are a good deal like this kind of weather—hard to understand, and very uncertain. And we think it is always best to "take the weather as it comes," and never put too much confidence in March, especially when it comes in lamb-like.

Letter From New Mexico.

The following extracts from a private letter of a friend, who has recently located in New Mexico, may be of interest to those who have the western fever:

Editor Roundabout:

Well, I am here in the "far" and great "west," where all things are wonderful and every man is a liar. I am quite pleasantly situated in the little Mexican town of Lincoln, the county seat of Lincoln county, a little town where peace and order prevail and all the people seem happy.

We have a delightful climate. There has not been one week of cloudy weather since I came here. We have no mud, not much snow in the valley, but very little rain, except in July and August. All winter I have been gazing out of my office window at four feet of snow on White Mountain, thirty miles away. It will remain there until July. It is frequently visible above the clouds.

Lincoln county is about 180 miles square. Lincoln is the county town, but White Oaks is the best town in the county, the center of the richest gold field known in the west. Gold, silver,

copper, lead, iron and coal in abundance, but we have no railroad in the county. This mineral field is on a direct line between Kansas City and El Paso, and the Rock Island road is building here at the rate of three miles per diem.

Thirty miles from here, three weeks ago, a man discovered a gold mine where he has two hundred and fifty thousand dollars in sight, which gets better as he goes down. This is not rumor, but a fact. Congressman Hunter, of Kentucky, invested \$50,000 at White Oaks the other day, which makes \$100,000 for him. New discovery is made every few days.

It is spring time here, and its fresh pure breath wafts through my open window to-day the sweet odor of the apple blossoms. The birds are vocal with their great delight, while lad and lass go forth to gather the first flowers with young hearts fluttering dreamily. While indulging in these scenes and thought the mystic chords of memory, stretching back to Kentucky hearts and hearthstones, makes one wish that he could live, die and be buried there.

Bellevue.

Mrs. Keeling Gaines, who has been so ill, is rapidly convalescing.

C. C. Merchant has been confined to his room for several days with acute rheumatism.

Geo. E. Caples won the magnificent crazy quilt at the raffle at Grinstead's store on Tuesday night.

Dr. J. H. Sullivan has removed his office to the rooms over Grinstead store, where he may at all times be found.

Maurice Caples, Jr., will leave for Kansas in a short time, with the intention of making that State his future home.

Dr. J. H. Sullivan is the happiest man in town, being the proud possessor of a mighty pretty girl baby.

Capt. David S. Miller, with his interesting family, have moved into Mr. Polsgrove's cottage, on Kentucky avenue.

Mr. Job Smith has about decided upon the matter of erecting a grist mill for the production of a superior article of corn meal.

Miss Lullie Merchant was the successful raffler at Mr. I. Davis' on Tuesday evening. She is now wearing a very pretty golden time keeper.

Mr. Adam Helfenbein, of Waverly, Ohio, has been on a visit this week to his brother-in-laws, Messrs. S. W. Howell and C. P. Nichols.

Maj. Tom Pence, with his family, have moved to Farmers, a town in Rowan county, where the Major will have the superintendency of a large saw mill.

Consolation, Shelby County.

Mr. J. M. Lea will raise a large crop of sorghum this year on Mr. M. Allen's place.

Mr. D. D. Vardeman was taken very sick with pneumonia Sunday and is still very ill.

Mr. Jonathan Heiatt died last Friday, near Bagdad, and was buried in the cemetery there.

Miss Mary Sowalter lost her pet cat last week. It is supposed its death was caused by chicken pox.

Its Delicacy of Flavor

And the efficacy of its action have rendered the famous liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, immensely popular. It cleanses and tones up the feverish system, dispels headaches, colds and fevers, cures Habitual Constipation, Dyspepsia, and the many ills depending on a weak or inactive condition of the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels. For sale in 50 cent and \$1 bottles by CHAPMAN & GAYLE, Manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Co. San Francisco, Cal.

Letter from Zeke Yocum.

CONSOLATION.

VARDIMAN'S HOTEL,

March 29, 1887.

Dear Roundabout:

I'm still in the land of the living. Please say to my numerous friends that it will be impossible for me to make the canvass for the Legislature in Franklin county. My duties as a journalist will not permit. I'm satisfied with the honors I have. Would have no objection to making the race in Shelby county, but we have one whiskey aspirant on the track already. All the drunken Baptists, Campbellites, Methodists and negroes will vote for him, so you see that leaves no chance for Zeke. Please press my claim before Gov. Knott for a mission to Utah. Tell him of my devotion to the great Democratic party; that the prime of my life has been spent in advocating Democratic doctrine.

I'm pleased with this place. Whiskey and beer are cheap, but not good.

The bar at this place is patronized by boys and men of all colors. The grand jury pay no attention whatever. Officers of the law will take nip with Uncle Billy. Church members all endorse him.

HATTON.

I went to Beech Ridge Church last Lord's day for the purpose of hearing Bros. Baker or Roberts preach, but was denied the pleasure. I was so disturbed by some peach orchard shots, who behaved so badly, that none could hear. I was disposed to resort to law in regard to their conduct, but was told that they were all feeble-minded. Will you ask the proprietor of the Feeble-Minded Institute if any of his boys are out? I examined the heads of several and the moles were soft.

Bro. Baker made a good speech of two hours. His subject was in regard to Lazarus. The large congregation gave him their undivided attention. Shoats excepted.

HEALTH.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartford are very sick, also Mrs. D. Jones.

PERSONAL.

Messrs. Tracy and Tharp paid Hatton a short visit this week in the interest of the great Democratic party, telling the voters that now was their last chance, that it would take every vote to win this time. Bully for you, Tracy & Co., we will down them again.

PUBLIC SALE—FOUR CHURCHES.

On May 1st, 1887, I will sell to the lowest bidder one Campbellite, two Baptist, and one Methodist Church, on a credit of twenty years without interest and without security. No by bidding. Sale positive, provided that no signs of spiritual life are manifested between now and day of sale. In the event that they are sold bids will be received by Zeke Yocum, at his office in Consolation, from preachers of any denomination, to preach the funerals of said churches, to be paid for in no account members of any and all churches sold.

Wanted, to know the whereabouts of the President and Directors of Jacksonville Turnpike Company. Any information in regard to the President of said road will be thankfully received by the fat widow.

No mad dogs about.

Morals improving.

Wanted—Turnip greens and jowl.

No more for the present, my heart is heavy. I dread Bill Bradley.

P. S.—If Gov. Knott should want any reference as to my Democracy, please refer him to Staten & Dehoney; J. N. Crutcher, or the clerk who was brought up near the Stone Kitchen. Name forgotten.

I would be delighted with a mission to Utah. I'm still opposed to the cow bill. Hoping to live to see the Democratic party succeed and our taxes increased, I remain your uncle, ZEKE.

Bridgeport.

Ice and snow.

Solid winter Monday and Tuesday.

A let up on farming for several days.

Prof. J. B. Lea is convalescing.

Mrs. Maggie Hawkins is still improving.

Garden operations have ceased for a time.

A fresh supply of fuel has been laid in this week.

Jimmie Roberts has been quite sick for a week or two.

Oscar Roberts is quite sick. Pneumonia the trouble.

Mike Flaherty was in Shelbyville the first of the week.

Esq. J. W. Jackson has been very much indisposed for the past week or two.

Mr. D. D. Parker, of Alton, was in Bridgeport last Monday and Tuesday.

Sunday-school will be organized at South Benson to-morrow at 9 o'clock, a. m.

Sunday-school will be organized at Evergreen to-morrow at 9 o'clock, a. m.

Mr. T. H. Montfort, of Louisville, was in the burg last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. Jas. Wade and wife, and Master Kodman Russell, of Louisville, are in the village.

Regular services at Evergreen Church to-day at two o'clock, p. m., and to-morrow at 11 a. m. All invited.

One hundred and eighty mice were killed in Mrs. Rebecca Crockett's corn crib one day recently. Next.

Mr. T. J. Hill and wife, and Mr. Elijah Lea, of Shelby county, paid a visit to their brother, Prof. J. B. Lea, a few days since.

Mr. George B. Strepy, of Shelbyville, is conducting the blacksmith business at this place, during the illness of Oscar Roberts.

The snow storm of last Wednesday, March 30, 1887, was, without a doubt, the heaviest of the season—fifteen inches deep.

Mr. W. T. Fulton, of Bagdad, paid the village a visit the first of the week. We thank him for subscribing for the ROTUNDA.

Mrs. Janie Garner and son have returned to their home in East St. Louis, Ill., from a month's visit to her father and family, Mr. J. W. Jackson.

Col. Bob Duncan, of Peytona, and Mr. Bob. Stratton and Miss Lullie Radford, of Bagdad, paid a visit to their friend, Prof. J. B. Lea, last Tuesday.

Our village and highway are quite lively in consequence of the almost constant passage of hands and supplies in transit to the Louisville Southern Railroad.

A lady in this vicinity wishes Uncle "Zeke" to understand most emphatically that she is of the opinion that any man whose moral courage assists him to so ably vindicate temperance principles ought of right to be the next Representative of Franklin county.

Good Results in Every Case.

D. A. Bradford, wholesale paper dealer of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes, that he was seriously afflicted with a severe cold that settled on his lungs; had tried many remedies without benefit. Being induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, did so and was entirely cured by the use of a few bottles. Since which time he has used it in his family for all Coughs and Colds with the best results. Thinks the experience of thousands who have been saved by this Wonderful Discovery. Trial Bottles free at Jos. LeCompte's Drug Store.

Farmers having real good butcher stuff on hand, which they wish to sell, will receive the highest market prices by calling on Mack Salyers, 223 Main street. f14-1f.

Blood and Money.

The blood of man has much to do in shaping his actions during his pilgrimage through this troublesome world, regardless of the amount of present or expected money in pocket or stored away in bank. It is a conceded fact that we appear as our blood makes us, and the purer the blood, the happier, healthier, prettier and wiser we are; hence the oft repeated interrogatory, "how is your blood?" With pure streams of life-giving fluid coursing through our veins, bounding through our hearts and plunging through our physical frames, our morals become better, our constitution stronger, our intellectual faculties more acute and grander, and men, women and children happier, healthier and more lively.

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B. B. B. is only about three years old—a baby in age, a giant in power—but no remedy in America can make or ever has made such a wonderful showing in its unexcelled powers in curing and entirely eradicating the above complaints, and gigantic sales in the face of frenzied opposition and would-be moneyed monopolists.

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Direct to the Planter.

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FRANKFORT, - - - KENTUCKY. Feb. 24-1f.

Letter From Florida.

ORLANDO, FLA., March 22, 1887.
Dear Roundabout:

Your issue of the 19th came last night. After looking it over I handed it to my wife and she read aloud all the places the ROUNDABOUT was sent, under the head of "our circulation." After its being read a lady friend, being present, remarked "wasn't it wonderful how such a little thing could travel so far." It caused quite a laugh. I told the lady I would tell you what she said.

By the way, why didn't some of those Pensacola excursionists come to Florida? They will never have any idea what Florida is by visiting Pensacola, as it is barely in the State, and the extreme northern portion at that. Even here, where we are, people who live farther south call it north. Key West is one hundred and seventy-five or two hundred miles farther south than Orlando. It took us 26 or 28 hours travel from Pensacola to Orlando. It is true we ran east for one hour the time. I would like to have seen the boys.

Since writing my last we have had a trip from here to Indian river and down same to Rockledge. We took the boat at Titusville. The country between Sandford and the latter place is low, flat and almost uninhabited. Titusville, although an old place by name, being the county seat of Brevard county, was almost unknown until the last year or two, when the Jacksonville, Tampa and Key West Railroad Company built a branch of their road here. The same road owns the steamer Rockledge, and runs her in connection with the road to Rockledge, twenty-two miles below Titusville, on Indian river. Indian river is visited by most every one who comes to South Florida. The scenery is certainly beautiful. The only rock I have seen in Florida is along this river. The visitors come and go, make but short stays, as they see all that is to be seen in one day. I was about to say one hour, but this would be too short a time. The land that is cultivated is right along the river, extending back from half mile to three-fourths of a mile, gradually up hill. It there slopes off to a low, flat uninhabited country towards the St. John river. The banks along Indian river are from three feet to ten feet high, mostly solid rock, soil on same, and covered with palmetto, live oak, and undergrowth, all being so thick it is impossible to go through it. One having read about the jungles of Africa will be fully reminded of them upon seeing this. The houses are built back from the river twenty to one hundred yards. The jungles are cleared away, the live oak and palmetto are thinned out; those left standing are dotted around, four to six feet apart, in front of the houses. The palmettos left standing are what is called the cabbage palmetto, the bodies of which are eight to ten inches through and twenty-five to fifty feet to the top. The live oaks remind me of an old elm somewhat, with wide-spreading branches, covered with moss several feet long. When the wind is blowing it is beautiful to look at, swinging to and fro.

There are two hotels here—the "Indian River" and "Tropical." The former is "the hotel," the house where visitors mostly stop. The oranges grown here are certainly sweeter, more palatable, than any I have eaten. I find they are cultivated differently than those in the pine lands. The hammock or jungle is left standing in front of most of the groves in their natural state to protect the trees from the winds that come over the river in winter, also a great many live oak and palmettos are left standing all through the groves. They remind me of a woodland pasture in Kentucky, except the green grass and the moss on the live oak here. Indian river is a great place for fish. If I could ever get the time

I would like to form a company of five or six and spend the winter on this river, hiring a sail boat, provisioning it, and with guns and fishing tackle sail down at our leisure, hunting and fishing, and gathering shells along the sea coast. Although it is but four or five miles from Indian river to the sea coast east, there is a river called Banana between Indian river and the sea, which they say is beautiful to sail up, fish and hunt. Deer abound all along each and fish are so plentiful some species can be seen jumping, all hours of the day, from one to five feet out of the water. I was told, and told so often by different parties that I came to believe it, that in some places on the river parties were known to have gone out at night in hand boats with lanterns; that the fish seeing the light would commence jumping at it, and jump in the boat until they would have to put out the light to keep from swamping it. This is a "fish story," but still I believe it. It was told to me by several as a fact.

My absence from Orlando was only three days but on my return I found water pipes all along several streets, commencing a grand system of water works on the Holy system. Five years ago Orlando was in the woods. To-day she boasts of six thousand inhabitants, two railroads, with a prospect of one or two more in less than a year. The town is laid off one mile from the Court house in every direction. These water pipes will extend from "end to end." There have more than a hundred houses gone up this winter. While writing I hear the hammers in every direction. Every place in Florida is pushing things for all there is in it. Almost every station has one or more large hotels. All this is new to me. I was raised near Frankfort, have lived in Frankfort for fifteen years; Orlando is five years old, Frankfort is more than one hundred. The water works here will be on a grander scale than there. Five years more what will Orlando be, with her present "go-aheadiveness?" Where will Frankfort be when Lawrenceburg, Hardinsville, Versailles, Midway, Georgetown have railroads running in every direction around Frankfort? Those who own property in Frankfort and Franklin county, in place of going elsewhere, such as Hot Springs, Arkansas, and other places I could name, investing their money in bank stock and other stocks, would get more dividends and make safer investments; would get sure returns; no "wild-cat" speculations; have it under their own eye; would see business "git up and go," if they would only keep their money at home and start new business enterprises. We should have roads running in every direction. Railroads build up. Get away from Frankfort and look at the world what they are doing. Even down here in little old Florida, there is a future for any people, any man that lays the foundation and works on it. Bob Franklin's and Will Watson's and the Bensonite's letters should arouse every voter in Franklin county to act, and to act wisely, making money, making it honestly, with broad philanthropic ideas; not get a few dollars and "hug them to their bosoms," and act as though they would never get another. Take the chances and throw them on the water, they will return to bless you. There is no doubt about it, it is doing it everywhere else, and will do it for Frankfort and Franklin county, if they will only act wisely. A few dollars to hold and lay away does one harm and the world no good. I have worked hard all my life, I will be taxed as much or more than most who oppose all these improvements. Our lives here are short, money will do us no good after we are gone. We make money by investing money to open up channels of trade. The firm of Miles & Son handle the bulk of the grain of Franklin coun-

ty. To secure the side of our flour we must have an outlet. The farmers are realizing better prices for their wheat than they can from any source outside of us. We draw grain to our mill from Mercer, Woodford, Fayette, Scott, Owen, Henry, Shelby and Anderson counties, and elsewhere. The bulk of the money is spent in Frankfort for which this wheat is bought. The merchants get it. One reason for my staying here is to build up a trade by which every man in Frankfort and Franklin county is benefited. We spend from two to four hundred thousand dollars a year, according to the price of grain. The bulk of this money is spent in Frankfort. The lawyers, doctors, laboring men, merchants and mechanics get the benefit of it. We get only a living. For several years it has been hard work to get even this. Competition has become so strong, trade being so much cut up, the outlets being so limited, that it has taxed my brain and body until it has about worn me out, planning and arranging day after day, night after night, to dispose of the product to the very best advantage. While the farmer is asleep I am planning, the result of which he gets the benefit. To run our mill to its full capacity we have to dispose of three hundred barrels of flour every day, and the offal from same, to do this. We must have outlets, and outlets that will naturally take the product off the mill, not leave us in a position to force it off. We have some twenty or more men in our employ, who are paid weekly from \$7.50 to \$21 a week each. This is spent in Frankfort. Railroads are sometimes an injury to a place, not often. All the booms north, west and south are on account of railroads and local resources. Any one road in a place of course is a monopoly. Railroad men are no worse than other people. These who fuss about the way railroads do would do worse if they were placed in the same position, perhaps, than those they are now complaining of. We have been doing business with the L. & N. road for fifteen years or more. As a whole we have gotten along with them smoothly. They have not given us everything we have asked of them, but generally they have been liberal with us. We learn it is not best to abuse but to get them with our grievances, if we have any, in a friendly, private manner and generally we have got what we have asked or the best we could under the circumstances. We do not want a new or another road to loosen the "grip of the L. & N. on our windpipe," but want other outlets that will naturally draw from every point of the compass, and take the product of the "old dreamy eyed maiden" in connection with the L. & N. and the river, all working harmoniously together, with the motto of all "small profits and quick returns," patronizing home and home industries in every particular—the farmer finding and having at all times a good market for everything he raises right at his door. This but few of the farmers realize or think of. They are benefited more by the increased success or prosperity of Frankfort than they could imagine at first thought. Frankfort is the market for everything they have for sale, even a pig, a calf, a chicken, a pound of butter, a head of cabbage, a peck of beans, a bushel of potatoes, a horse, his wheat and corn, and a place to buy everything he wants at as reasonable price as any where on earth. The difference in his taxes, what they are now and what they will be on account of building another road, will never be missed. The men that build the road, the men that run the road after being built, live on the product of the farmer, and the more demand. The more demand the higher the price for everything. I feel like making an appeal to every sensible voter. Those who know me know I am no sensationalist. I would not do

or say anything that would take a dollar out of the pocket of any one, did not I believe, in fact did not know, every word I write to be true. So far as self and dollars are concerned I have got to an age that I know either will not amount to much a great while longer. I have an interest beyond self. I have children and grand children I am trying to benefit, that I am spending the balance of my days in their interest, but using my judgment in doing it. I have no interest peculiarly or otherwise only for the general good of the town and county, all that I have written is not done in the interest of any individual or in individuals, corporation or corporations of any kind. I believe if the road is built I make money by it, not directly but by a natural flow of trade with the new outside world with Frankfort, and that I am benefiting posterity by doing it. I know this. There is no guess work about it. I try to be free from narrow mindedness.

Yours truly,
JOHN E. MILES.

Exclusive Privileges.

Editor of the Roundabout:

Since the prospect for natural gas has attracted the attention of the citizens of Frankfort the claim made by the Frankfort Heating Company that it has the exclusive privilege for ten years to prospect for and furnish to the citizens this wonderful and economical agency has led to inquiries by many leading citizens and to an investigation by the Board of Trade. At the last meeting of that body a committee reported that the Company possessed such exclusive privilege for two years and perhaps for ten years. The Board of Trade, having for its object the advancement of every industry that now exists or, under proper conditions, may exist within the limits of the city, was content to accept the situation without further investigation into the validity of the claim so confidently made by this Company.

The incorporators of this Company are citizens of energy and business capacity for whose success I entertain the best wishes, but I do not wish their success in this enterprise to be built upon inflated stocks and exactions when other citizens are willing and anxious to penetrate the vast storehouse of mother earth and bring forth the hidden fires to comfort the poor and start the wheels of manufacture. No one needs the protection of "exclusive privilege" in the production and supply of natural gas more than one of our coal dealers needs the "exclusive privilege" of selling coal to the citizens of Frankfort. Every reason that can be urged in support of one proposition will apply with equal force to the other. In my judgment no necessity exists for lending such aid to either industry.

Wishing to satisfy myself as to the extent of the privilege that the Frankfort Heating Company can exercise under the fundamental law of the State, I have taken the pains to examine several decisions of our courts on the question of "exclusive privileges" and will here briefly give the result of my inquiries, believing that the best lawyers will agree to the correctness of my views.

No court in Kentucky has ever sanctioned an exclusive privilege granted to any corporation or individual unless the corporation or individual, in consideration for it, renders some public service.

Exclusive privileges to Gas Companies for lighting purposes in cities have been sanctioned because the courts hold that lighting the streets and public ways contributes to the public benefit by protecting citizens against robbers and highwaymen and affording better means of public travel.

Nowhere do the courts intimate that a mere commodity for domestic use or supply of material or fuel for private gain (no public use

being served) can be monopolized by any company or individual. (Will some member of the Frankfort Heating Company please inform your readers what public service his Company expects to render?)

I can imagine none, and if none can be shown their boasted claim of "exclusive privilege" must fall to the ground.

Our citizens who are not favored with a position on the "ground floor" of the Frankfort Heating Company need not hesitate to form companies to bore for natural gas that underlies us. Capital and enterprise may here find a rich reward undisturbed by any company claiming "exclusive privilege."

FAIR PLAY.

FRANKFORT, KY.,

March, 30, '87.

Editor Roundabout:

DEAR SIR:—Having always been a friend of education and a true lover of our common schools, so much so that I am in favor of compulsory education, and I have promptly and cheerfully paid all taxes, both State and city, for the purpose of building school houses, &c. We have just elected three school trustees, and have built a grand monument that we can all look upon with pride, and feel assured that our children and grandchildren can daily visit for recitation, and feel that each and every one will be welcome and shout grateful praises, and say that generous Frankfort has done all this for us with the money willingly paid by the friends of education. I hope no one will be offended by demanding for myself and every friend of our city school, that our trustees give us an itemized account of all moneys paid out, for all purposes, in running said school, since their last report. It is due to all the friends of the school, both white and colored, that they at least should have a statement every six months of all moneys going through their hands, and it is very important at this time that we should know every financial transaction in connection with the schools that we have so freely and liberally contributed to build up. Let every business meeting of the trustees be published in our weekly papers, and quiet the fears of every citizen and tax-payer of our beloved and beautiful city.

TAX-PAYER.

Untold Sufferings—A Ten Years Experience.

NEAR BLOOMSBURY, GA., Dec. 6, 1886.
(EXCLUSIVE.) For ten years I have had a tumor. During that time I have been under the treatment of the best physicians in Atlanta, Ga., and Union, N. Y., none of whom were able to give relief or assurance of cure. Then I turned to the use of patent medicines, several of which I used without avail. My doctor in Lawrence, who has attended me for twenty years, assured me that I could not live a year. About two years ago I began using S. S. S., and at once my tumor yielded to its influence. It grew softer and smaller, and my general health, which was badly run down, was built up with the decrease of the tumor. Finally, I felt so well and my general health was so good, that I stopped the Swift Specific, and went on performing my household duties. But, of course, as I had not persisted in the use of the medicine until the tumor had entirely disappeared, I could only look for a return of the ailment. Again I resorted to the use of Swift's Specific, with the same happy results as on the first occasion. This has been repeated several times within the last two years, the medicine never failing to reduce the tumor and build up my general system. When I first began to take the Specific, I was so nervous that I could not sleep for hours on resting. I felt that if I just held my feet still for a few minutes by force or will, that it would have been enough to drive me into convulsions. That nervousness the S. S. S. entirely cured. My pain was so great that my physician urged me to keep under the influence of morphia all the time, and to abandon hope of recovery. When I began the use of the Specific, I was on my bed half my time, a helpless invalid. This year I have been able to do all my own cooking, except when I was down with a severe cold.

MRS. M. E. SASSER.

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